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ENLISTMENTS

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Carsland, Alta.
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LIONS' CHARTER NIGHT

Among the best programmes arranged by the Lion's Club was that given last Thursday evening.

About eighty members and guests partook of a choice supper served in the usual Hansen Style. Everyone was pleased to see Lion President Walter Mercer able to preside it being the first since his accident before Christmas.

Joe Morelli of Calgary charmed all with his capable playing on the Piano-acordion, and the dances by himself and sister were cleverly executed.

Ft. Lt. Minto Swann, of Calgary, guest speaker for the event, held the closest interest of all in his able address on Preparation for Peace after the War, under the following heads:

(a) — Putting first things first.
(b) — Having a right conception of success.

(c) — Stewardship.
Lt. Swann said there is an increasing appreciation of the need and value of the Christian religion which is making itself manifest very generally. The religion of Humanism had been tried by many but it had been found wanting. It matters tremendously what you and I think. We must inject into the picture spiritual values.

The criterion of real success is not how much wealth has a man, but what his wealth of character, what his desire to help lift the status of all to a rich and full realization of the God-given faculties.

Lt. Swann emphatically stated the need of each to realize his stewardship in making a proper peace. There should be a Stewardship of Nations, making the next Treaty. He did not deary all of the past as bad and unwanted. There was much good, and that should be taken along in building a New World.

Mr. Tanner of Magrath told of the excellent Swimming Pool the Lions had financed and recommended to the local Lions the carrying on of their similar project as soon as conditions would permit.

Mr. Stevens of California, threw on the screen a number of very beautiful pictures of The Tabernacle of Latter Day Saints in Salt Lake City, the very fine Pipe Organ which is the largest in the world, and showed capacity for a choir of 700 voices, which we in Strathmore have frequently heard over the radio with so much pleasure. Scenes of the country and towns re-claimed by irrigation were very significant for a Strathmore audience where the subject of irrigation is such a live topic.

Magnificent scenes of the peculiar rock formation in the Grand Canyon of Colorado, were breath-taking.

A special vote of thanks to the entertainment committee, Messrs A. D. Shrimpton J. W. Giffen, J. Robinson, E. N. Ridley and Doug Shrimpton, is due. Mrs. Mercer and Mrs. Hirtle were piano accompanists.

If we, ourselves, are frauds and cheats,
In buying clothes or hoarding cats,
We haven't so much cause to shun
The stealthy Jap and lying Hun.

A. F. U. MEETING

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the A. F. U. was held in the Dining-room of the Memorial Hall on Saturday afternoon March 6th. Between 50 - 60 farmers were in attendance to hear the report of Mr. Leslie Campbell, who was this branch's delegate to the recent Provincial Convention, in Edmonton. Mr. Charles Cowell was in the chair. Mr. Campbell gave a very clear and detailed account of the Convention.

Following his address, a number of questions were asked and much discussion took place.

Mr. Campbell touched on many topics but perhaps the two most emphasized were: that if the Dominion Government turns a deaf ear to the reasonable requests of the agricultural community, then some form of direct action will have to be taken; that, at the Convention, the fraternal delegates of the Railroad Union, promised that, when the A. F. U. was strong enough and had given evidence of its sincerity and of its right to represent the farmers of Alberta, then the Railroad Union would give the A. F. U. full support.

Steps were taken at the meeting to organize a complete canvas of the Strathmore area in order to get additional members. It was also decided to send monthly to all members, free of charge, the A. F. U. Bulletin.

CURLER'S SERVICE

The joint service held in St. Michael's Church for the Curlers' Sunday evening was very fitting and conducted with quiet dignity throughout.

The Services and prayers were read by Rev. E. J. Hoad with Rev. S. R. Hunt giving the sermon, and the music by the Choir well rendered.

Rev. Hunt based the remarks of his interesting and challenging address on the text, "Except the Lord buildeth the house, ye labor in vain who build." Drawing the analogy between house in Curling and the House of Peace Mr. Hunt referred to Christ as the Great Master Builder and to build aright we must act on His principles. Rev. Hunt divided his sermon under the following: Building Individually and nationally for Service of Thanksgiving Feasting and Rejoicing after the War. Feeding the World's Hungry. Opening our doors to Refugees.

Speaking of the Service of Thanksgiving Rev. Hunt said this coupled with Merriment and Feasting was natural, right and proper but only when all the hungry people of the world were fed. He asked how could we in Canada sit down to a banquet table of thanksgiving, while still there were unfed people in Europe or elsewhere.

Within the past two weeks forty ministers and college professors or presidents of the Eastern U. S. previously opposed to plans for feeding the destitute of occupied Europe, have now signed a statement which urges sending of medicated food for children (dried milk and vitamins) to small democracies of Europe. They say "Millions of lives of our Greek allies are now being saved" by similar means.

And thirdly, undoubtedly there would be many worthy people seeking homes and an opportunity to build for their future, in less crowded lands and Canada with her broad unoccupied lands should not close the door of opportunity to them.

Organization Meeting New M.D. S'more

The first meeting of the New Municipality of Strathmore, formerly M. D.'s Blackfoot and Bow Valley was held in the Strathmore Municipal Office Wednesday March 10th, commencing at 2 p.m.

Mr. T. A. Potts, Provincial Supervisor of Municipalities presided during the election of officers and other routine business.

Reeve and Councillors were appointed as follows:

Reeve—James Harwood.
Deputy Reeve—J. A. McArthur.

Councillors—J. A. McArthur and C. H. Cowell, elected for 3 years; J. M. Wheatley and James Harwood, elected for 2 years; S. C. Nelson for 1 year; W. E. Thompson, Gleichen, Secretary-Treasurer; Assistant Secretary, L. C. Van Tighem.

Mr. R. Riddoch who has been the efficient Secretary-Treasurer of Bow Valley for the past two years, has been granted leave of absence to serve in the Armed Forces, but will remain to assist Mr. Thompson for a time.

The Head Office will be located in Strathmore. Meetings will be held the 2nd, Tuesday of each month commencing at 10 a.m.

Mr. Robert English, of the Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, was present and gave quite an extended talk on weed control and a forage plan for supplying grass seed at a reduced rate to farmers.

The meeting adjourned about 6 p.m.

LOCAL RED CROSS BRANCH WELL ORGANIZED FOR CANVAS

With Mr. G. H. Patrick as convener-in-chief and canvassors appointed the local campaign to raise \$900 is well under way.

Mr. H. Crowther will substitute for Mr. Patrick during his absence at the Coast.

Canvassers are:
S. P. Slater ar.; R. A. Brown; Mrs. Doug Brook, Ardmore; Mayor J. R. Gannon; Dr. Giffen; A. P. Grey; J. W. Robison; William Glendinning; T. S. Hughes; Nels Hansen; Rev. E. J. Hoad; Mrs. Charles Kimmitt, Nightingale; Harry Miller; C. P. Nichol; H. McGregor; G. H. Patrick; D. A. Perry; A. V. McFarland; George Palardy; E. N. Ridley; Jas. Swanson; J. A. Tench; Mrs. Novak, Lyalta; Mrs. George Thurston and Reg Gladden, Nightingale; H. A. Wilson; T. E. Wright; Wm. Edgar, Glen Rose; and M. A. Rellinger.

ICE CARNIVAL CANCELLED

Owing to inclement weather the "Ice Carnival" was not held and later cancelled permanently. Next year, if conditions permit, we hope to make up this unfortunate disappointment by presenting a bigger and better show than ever.

After meeting expenses and giving the Cadet Corps a small donation of \$10.00 there was a very small balance. A previous report that \$14.00 was made on the dance is false and should be disregarded. First prize in the lucky draw was won by George R. Perry of Strathmore; second by Mary Trollope, Nightingale; third by Max Crawford, Strathmore.

The executive wishes to thank everyone for their generous support and taking the disappointment of no carnival without complaint. Furthermore, the Jr. Hockey Club wishes to express its sincere appreciation to those who in any way helped with the preparation for the carnival and dance

LEGION NOTES

There was a very good turn out of Legionnaires for the meeting held last Tuesday, the number being increased by two new members, vets of the last war. Cards and letters of thanks for cigarettes from the boys overseas were very much in evidence and showed how much this effort is appreciated. It was agreed that more should be done in this line as it was so much appreciated.

The Election of Officers delayed from last month owing to adverse weather was the main business. There was no rivalry for the various offices the former slate being re-elected unanimously. C. E. Way, President, J. Wagstaff 1st Vice, R. E. Grey second Vice, W. S. Paterson Secretary-treasurer, with the Executive Committee of A. V. MacFarland, J. S. Gunn, and H. McGregor will officiate for another term. There was a bit of confusion with the only ballot taken that was for Entertainment Committee and when it was all straightened out S. H. Crowther, H. G. Smith, H. C. Willson, J. W. Robison, R. E. Grey and W. H. Foley were the members finally chosen to look after the social end. They immediately got busy to complete arrangements for a social evening on Friday.

First Articles Received By War Prisoners

Capture Parcels:

Those parcels were packed by the Red Cross staff in London, England, and there were 170 of these parcels with 28 additional parcels in case of extra prisoners. Each parcel contained the following articles:

2 pairs of socks, 3 handkerchiefs, and 1 each of the following: sweater, scarf, helmet-cap, gloves, underwear, pyjamas, bath-towel, hussif and blanket; and in addition a personal property bag containing the following toilet articles: wash-cloth, razor set, tooth brush and powder, hand-towel, shaving brush and soap, hair brush and comb; also chocolate and chewing gum. These parcels were packed in bales containing thirty parcels each, the bales being stencilled with a Maple Leaf besides the Red Cross and were directed to the prisoners in the following three camps:

1458 parcels to Stalag VIII B
103 parcels to Oflag VII B
199 parcels to Stalag IX C
with 28 additional parcels.

PRIZE WINNERS IN BONSPIEL

Following is a list of the lucky ones in the recent Bonspiel.

Strathmore Hardware Event—

1.—M. Lounsbury.
2.—D. McDonald, Gleichen.
3.—T. Brown, Gleichen.

4.—J. Swanson.

Distributors Event—

1.—J. Swanson.
2.—M. MacLeod.
3.—D. McDonald, Gleichen.
4.—M. Lounsbury.

Consolation—

1.—H. McGregor.
2.—J. Freeman.
3.—L. Jones.
4.—F. Thurston.

day March 12th. The re-election of the Sick Committee, J. Sharp, R. E. Grey, and J. S. Gunn drew to mind the Red Cross Drive and the President's appeal for all to support this worthy cause resulted in a donation of \$25.00 being made.

The shooting has been so poor of late that the nimrods think they ought to and can do better than they did last month. Another try for the "possible" will be made the first and third Thursday of the month.

NURSE NORTH WRITES HOME

Extract from an interesting letter to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. North, by Alberta North who is now taking a special course at Johns Hopkins hospital, New York.

We arrived in Washington about 9 a.m.. Went first to the Capital and were quite disappointed it wasn't open on Sundays, any other day we could have gone in. However, we saw what the outside looked like. Next we visited the Lincoln, Washington and Jefferson Memorials, also the Arlington Cemetery, the largest National Cemetery. The tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and a very large amphitheatre. Here they hold their Armistice Day programs.

We then went out to Mount Vernon, fifteen miles from Washington. This was really very interesting. We went all through the house. Also saw Washington's Tomb and a number of her historic buildings.

On returning to Washington, we went first to the Smithsonian Institution. Here we spent about an hour, but I think one could spend days and still not see it all. No matter what you want to see, it's there, I think.

Early cars, trains, street cars, planes, flags, dishes, quilts, hats and dresses, worn by all the President's wives. Also the development of Cameras, spinning wheels and spinning and of medicines and surgical instruments and many other things.

We then visited the Library of Congress. This was also a very interesting building. Saw the original Declaration of Independence and the Constitution. Also saw the Supreme Court Building. This was all the buildings we visited but saw many more just driving around. I nearly forgot, we saw "The White House" from a distance about a block away. That was as close as we could get as it is all being guarded. Also saw quite a few anti aircraft guns around on buildings.

It was like spring out today and a perfect day to go sight seeing. There are so many interesting places to go around here but as we are not supposed to use tires and gas for pleasure, one can't get to see many of them.

COMING EVENTS

The Sorosis Society is sending Easter boxes to our men overseas on March 16th. But for the support given us by our friends, we could not carry on this work. We do not solicit help except by this means, and if anyone interested cares to help by cash donation or credit at every grocery store we shall be very grateful. We prefer this method to individual contributions as we have forty boxes to send, and each box contains the same articles.

A COUNTRY EDITOR SEES
Ottawa
 WRITTEN SPECIALLY FOR THE
 WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS OF CANADA
 by JIM GREENBLAT, Editor of the SUN
 SWIFT CURRENT SASKATCHEWAN




LOOKING INSIDE THE ENGINE

Call me lucky or not, but I'm just an ordinary weekly newspaper editor who was invited to come down to Ottawa, that daffy but pulsating, throbbing with energy warhead of a nation which is such a staunch and energetic partner of the battling United Nations. I was asked to write a series of articles for home consumption—that is, for the plain, honest-to-God folk in the towns and on the farms who constitute the readers of Canadian weekly newspapers.

I didn't get any salary for coming down here, but they did pay my expenses. I felt somewhat like your own member of Parliament, eatin' on the train, having the odd finger-bowl and pretending I was used to it and having the bell hops "air" me to death. You

know, as well as I do, that weekly paper editors at home are merely suffered. But with the finish of these articles, like R. B. Bennett used to say before they stuck him in the British hall of fame, "He had his day and ceased to be."

I came to have a personal unhampered, uncajoled, unpoliticized look at the Wartime Prices and Trade Board and its mechanism; what makes the wheels go 'round. How it affects the daily life, the routine and economies of you and me. I don't owe a cent to anyone in Ottawa, from Donald Gordon down, in politics or ration cards, so I feel free to give my own impressions, unbiased, of this tremendously vital thing which is ordering our very lives, trying to keep a mile ahead of inflation and thus prevent the evils of

deflation after the war.

Carte Blanche—No Punches Pulled
 I wasn't asked to pull punches. That shows I don't look like a politician. I was given carte blanche to look inside the engine, to ask questions, to interview the really big names who handle Canada's great wartime economy, and that in itself was a thrill. And here, take my word for it, you'd be impressed like I was. From butter rationing to subsidizing the men doing the job are in my opinion sincere, patriotic, hard working and don't let anyone guff you about politics and bureaucracy. It's all such a colossal but necessary thing. They admit mistakes have been made. They also admit they are human—even the experts and economic advisors; but they're all aiming towards the best deal for the greatest number, to involve the least hardship for all of us in a war which is bringing new and ever increasing, intricate problems affecting our very lives. Just remember when you shake your head wisely at your neighbor and say something about "them guys at Ottawa," that one time you left the barn door open, bossy wandered out into the blizzard and you lost yourself a hundred bucks or so.

Believe me, if you and I are to continue eating the nutritive foods necessary to our complex organisms, to fortify us for what may be a long and terrible war-pull (and after the war); if you and I are going to be able to continue paying and receiving wages adequate to a fairly decent continuing standard of living; if the producer and laborer is to reap in at least some worthy measure the efforts of his toil while this war lasts—without any too explosive disruption—it will be because this organization thinks, acts and continues in its (what appears to me to be) sincerity of purpose, let the chips fall where they may.

I propose this series of articles to be just a plain, unvarnished telling of what I saw in Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto. I would like to be able to tell you in the same way your own editor does when he's on the beam about something. I want to tell what thinks the head of the whole outfit, Chairman of the Board, Donald Gordon, that big, dark Scotsman who dynamically leads this organization and who, by the way, might look like the hardware man or the guy in your town. He talked to me as if I, myself, meant something in this world. That, to me, was the clue why even stenographers keep the midnight oil burning in this organization—and I do mean to work.

Research Economist Phyllis Turner
 Then take Mrs. Phyllis G. Turner, administrator for Oils and Fats for Canada and a member of the United Nations Committee on these vital commodities. She's a former economist of the Tariff Board; a strikingly beautiful woman doing a tremendously big job in something you'll be intensely interested to hear about later if you stick with me long enough in this series.

Then there's Kenneth W. Taylor who I talked with, Secretary of the Board, a McMaster man, an economist of standing, who certainly knows what it's all about. His type of person (like the others) doesn't have to fiddle with politics. And women readers will surely be interested in what Byrne Hope Sanders told me. She's better known as Editor of Chatselaine and now heads Consumers branch division, with its farflung chain of "watching" local committees. Behind her discerning, intelligent eyes you could visualize her as a young mom in the kitchen slicing around the pie dough.

Information From Source
 Are you interested in hoarding, etc.? You'd be surprised what I learned from Fred A. McGregor, administrator of the Enforcement division. You'd take him for your own church minister. He doesn't look like Himmler and hates anyone who gets tough, but he's

deflation after the war. I've got a lot of stuff filed away in my mind, but it's got to be boiled down all of it—to make not too tiring reading that will give you an appreciation and understanding of what's being done to YOUR way of life. On how you react to the policies and regulations laid down may eventually depend that same way of life. Bear with me through the following few weeks and I'll do the best I can to explain why and how they're doing it.

And remember, we, the people, only paid for my ham and eggs while I was away from home. I didn't have to put anyone on the back. I remain, like you, a small town guy or gal, so stick around and tune in next week.

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ROCKYFORD

— By K. M. G. —

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Local Red Cross was held the first Tuesday of March at the home of Mrs. Halpin, when Mrs. Heimbecker, the Vice President, conducted the business. Re-

sure a firm guy. His division, understanding, has a big job and he's concerned mainly with the fellow who wants to gyp you and I. Then there's Dr. G. E. Britnell, a Saskatchewan University man, economic adviser to the Foods Administration. Why that man's head is always as full of butter, eggs, hogs, cheese, beef and milk as Canada's farms collectively are. He sees the picture more than he does statistics. More about that later too.

Imagine rationing millions of people, cards and stuff. That would make your head swim at Montreal, and I'll try to explain later, logically, how L. B. Unwin, a C. P. R. Vice-President, and his folks go about it. And what do you think is in the mind of placid administrator H. H. Bloom at Toronto, who handles what you can get in farm machinery in this greatest of agricultural countries. There were many others.

I've got a lot of stuff filed away in my mind, but it's got to be boiled down all of it—to make not too tiring reading that will give you an appreciation and understanding of what's being done to YOUR way of life. On how you react to the policies and regulations laid down may eventually depend that same way of life. Bear with me through the following few weeks and I'll do the best I can to explain why and how they're doing it.

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ports of the conveners were heard and the returns of the Bridge Party held in February were read and showed a good profit. It was arranged to conduct a Bingo Party in the hall on the evening of Wednesday March 31st.

The new Red Cross drive was lined up and the town canvassers who are usually the ladies, are Mrs. McLuhan, Mrs. Halpin, Mrs. Bradwell and Mrs. Heimbecker. They have already finished the canvas and wish to thank the Rockyford people for the nice reception and returns they received.

Funeral services were conducted on Monday by Rev. Ellison at Rockyford for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson of Greyhurst school district. The balance of the Patterson family are ill at present and we hope for a speedy recovery.

We regret to hear of the illness of Mrs. Pomroy for the last ten days. Her son Charlie has come home from Calgary to be with her.

Mrs. J. M. Allen had the pleasure of celebrating her 78th birthday on Wednesday, March 3rd. Her son Otis and his wife and two children came out on morning to be with her and during the afternoon about twelve ladies dropped in to wish her happy returns of the day. They brought lunch and enjoyed a pleasant two hours together.

Mr. Hops of the Pool Elevator here is at present in a Calgary Hospital recovering from a recent operation. Mrs. Hops and his daughter are with him.

Mrs. J. Bragg has been spending a week with her son Norman and his wife at Standard. She returned home on Saturday and on Sunday a few of her friends dropped in on her to be with her for her birthday.

Victory over ourselves is the only thing which can make us worthy of victory over our enemies.

Friday and Saturday, MARCH 12 and 13

"ARISE AND SHINE"

Jack Oakie, Linda Darnell, G. Murphy.

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WRITES FOR RADIO



Elsie Park Gowan, whose radio adaptation of "North After Seals" was heard on Thursday, March 11, over CBC's National Network. This is the third Canadian contribution Mrs. Gowan has written for the CBS CBC school of the Air series, "Tales from Far and Near." Originally from the banks of Loch Lomond, Mrs. Gowan settled at an early age in Alberta, and after taking her degree in history, proceeded to win Carnegie competitions in play writing. Since turning to radio, she has become well-known for her many historical and adventure plays as well as for her excellent radio adaptations. Mrs. Gowan's name is familiar to Prairie listeners of the recently concluded series, which were broadcast on Friday afternoons, "Petticoat Plunders." Mrs. Gowan has completed a series of radio plays to be broadcast under the general title of "The Call to Health and Happiness." The series will commence on Wednesday, May 5, and will be broadcast over the Western network of the CBC at 5:15 p.m. CDT (4:15 p.m. MDT).

MORLEY CALLAGHAN



Toronto author of several novels, and well known to readers of quality magazines, takes the role of interlocutor in the CBC discussion series "Of Things to Come." The broadcasts are heard on Sundays at 4:03 p.m. CDT (3:03 p.m. MDT) over CBK, Watrous, (540 kilocycles) and other stations of the Western network.

CARSELAND

By H. K.

MR. AND MRS. I. E. STINSON CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING

On Saturday night, March 6, over one hundred friends and neighbors gathered at the Carseland Hall to celebrate the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Stinson, who have made Carseland their home for a considerable number of years.

A very enjoyable evening was had by all. Those who wished played bridge while the rest played games. At midnight the honored couple accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Roe led the grand march down to the dining room. The head table was tastefully decorated. Those seated at it were: Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Stinson; Mr. and Mrs. Rowe; Mrs. Archie McNeill; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Neilson; Miss Norma Stinson; Mrs. Sam Neilson; Mr. and Mrs. C. Ballard and David and Betty and Mr. Parke Ballard.

After a tasty lunch was partaken, Mrs. Roe, on behalf of the Carseland community, presented Mr. and Mrs. Stinson with a purse of silver dollars, with every best wish for their continued happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Stinson in turn thanked everyone for the kind remembrance and also for the lovely evening, which would be cherished long in their memories.

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Miss Hilda Thiel left last week to join the Women's Army. All her Carseland friends wish her good luck in her new venture. She is stationed in Calgary at present.

Word has been received of the safe arrival overseas of Milton Cote. He plans to look up his brother Burrell on his first leave.

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**F. W. GERSHAW
WRITES FROM OTTAWA**

Much discussion has taken place this week on the problem of Social Security and all parties are in agreement. The first task is that of defeating the Axis powers and seeing that aggression is made impossible in the future. To do this there must be some policy to maintain friendly relations among the many countries of the world.

The first class to be consulted in establishing Social Security in Canada must be those who are fighting for Canada's battle for freedom at the front. They will want useful and remunerative employment together with adequate help for the disabled and the dependents of those who have fallen. The ideal that must be aimed at is freedom from fear and freedom from want. If our modern society does not provide this security then the State must find measures to meet the danger. Such hazards as employment, old age, blindness and the death of the bread winner have been provided for in a small inadequate way by the organized State. The Committee is being established to report on the most practical methods of Social Insurance and their inclusion in a National Comprehensive plan.

The Budget was delivered this year by Mr. Halsey, with almost every member present and all the galleries crowded. There was not a single interruption or question and there was applause from all sides. Canada's national income is now between eight and nine billion dollars and five and one half billions will be required by the Dominion Government this year. Taxes will bring in about two and one half

billion and the balance must be borrowed from Canadians.

Financial measures are one of the means through which each person has his or her share in the War. They are weapons to be used in the common purpose of winning the war.

T. L. Church was speaking of the heavy taxation. He said: "For two thirds of the members of this House if they died tomorrow we should have to pass the hat to bury them."

**THE BomBER PRESS
IN GREAT BRITAIN**

—By Walter R. Legge—

AGRICULTURE IN ENGLAND

Agriculture plays a leading part in the war programme in every country and especially in Great Britain which must of necessity import much of its food, and the editors were able to make a brief study of what is being done to help raise as much food as possible.

We found it to be a fact that many of the former beautiful flower gardens are now converted into vegetable growing. One notable example that we saw at Windsor Castle where the flower garden in what was originally a moat is now devoted to vegetables. While at the Roebuck Inn at Wyth we were interested to notice that the lovely terraced gardens at the rear of this Inn were now filled with vegetables.

Nearly all the Canadian camps are also growing all the vegetables they can in any odd corners of the land. At the camp of the No. 1 General Reinforcement Unit, they had a prize display of potatoes, tomatoes, carrots,

onions, beans, beets and turnips which they had grown there. Last year they said there were thirty tons of potatoes alone grown on land in camp.

At the naval base which we visited they had 50 acres in potatoes although it was difficult to see where they could find that much space.

Everywhere we went we saw vast fields of cabbages, potatoes, and in some sections, sugar beets, and some of these fields looked much larger than fields of similar products which are ordinarily seen in Canada.

We had a splendid opportunity to really study an English farm when we visited one day the Canon Court Farm in Berkshire. This farm, owned by Mr. Henry J. Purser, is probably the best farm in that section of England, as it has won the King George V prize for efficiency and the King Edward VIII cup for the best cultivated farm in Berkshire. This is said to be the only cup of such a nature ever given by King Edward VIII.

This farm is 500 acres in area; and four tractors are used on it. This year it produced among other things 3,200 bushels of oats, and the part planted in wheat produced 64 bushels to the acre. Mr. Purser was milking 41 cows when we were there.

It was interesting to learn that this farm was redeemed from tithes only five years ago. Up until that time tithes had been paid annually to Oxford University.

The farm buildings are extensive, well laid out, and built of brick, and even the partitions of the pens were built of brick. The barns were much more substantial than the usual ones in Canada, and when one of the Canadian editors asked how old those barns were, he was informed that "they are comparatively modern, having been (Continued on Page Seven)

**CANADA NEEDS 40 MILLION POUNDS
OF FATS FOR EXPLOSIVES***Here is a day-to-day War Job for You!*

There is a serious shortage of Fats and Bones in Canada and the only way in which this shortage can be overcome is by the day-to-day saving of every spoonful of dripping, every piece of scrap fat and every bone, cooked, uncooked or dry. Fats make glycerine and glycerine makes high explosives—explosives to bomb the Axis powers—Adolf, Benito, Tojo, sink their U-boats, destroy their tanks. Bones produce fat. Also glue for war industry.

HERE IS WHAT YOU DO

Save every kind of waste dripping. All may be mixed together. Strain through an ordinary metal strainer into a clean wide-mouthed can. Do not use a glass or paper container. Keep in a refrigerator or a cool place until you have collected a pound or more. Save all pieces of leftover scrap fat from your meals (cooked or uncooked). Keep separate from your drippings. Keep scrap fat and bones in a cool place.

HERE IS HOW TO DISPOSE OF FATS AND BONES

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- 2 YOU CAN TURN THE PROCEEDS** over to your local Voluntary Salvage Committee and/or to a registered local War Charity.
- 3 YOU CAN DONATE** your Fats and Bones to your local Voluntary Salvage Committee in any place where they collect them, or—
- 4 YOU CAN CONTINUE** to place out your fat and bones for collection by your Street Cleaning Department where such a system is in existence.

Every spoonful of dripping, every piece of fat and every bone, cooked, uncooked, or dry, must be saved. It's a day-to-day job. Your contribution may seem small and unimportant but even one ounce of fat dripping per person per week will give us 36,000,000 pounds of Fat each year for glycerine.

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NATIONAL CHARACTER

As a man's character is indisputable evidence of the way he lives, so national character is indisputable evidence of the way every man, woman and child in the nation lives.

Character is the core of national morale. Without it we shall certainly not survive the present ordeal. Character shows up in time of crisis, but it isn't built in one. Nor can it be left to the armed forces to build. It is the responsibility of everyone. It is your job and mine. For character is the sum total of our fighting strength.

This continent has been termed a rich land of opportunity and promise. Explorers and pioneers, and countless thousands of ordinary men and women have crossed ocean and plain, toiled long for little reward, and sacrificed to build our heritage. They founded Canada to be strong, united, free and out of their vision, sweat and sacrifice a nation was born.

Canada still offers the greatest opportunity for pioneering a new world. The war's great school of adversity can develop the sound character that will be needed for this task. Opportunity has too often been thought of in terms of national gain, but the landslide of moral standards and the economic depression that resulted from the greedy grasping of money after the last war was evidence that a nation's security lies in more than material gain.

A nation's true security lies in the character of its people, and spiritual faith and moral standards are the bedrock of national character. The old fundamental values—truth, honesty, selflessness, learning to give instead of to get—these are the only qualities that will give men endurance, security and faith in their country's destiny.

Men and women who are willing to pay the price of building on these solid foundations will be able to give the creative leadership that Canada is going to need in the difficult days ahead, and will help to build a Canada that can take its rightful place in the commonwealth of nations.

—Contributed.

KEEP THE HOME FIRES BURNING

CHINS UP. Thumbs up and Keep Smiling are the watch words of the men behind the guns, the men in planes, the men on the ships and the army on the march.

These typifying the spirit of the men facing the hardship and danger of battle how much greater should be the determination of the folk at home to support to the limit with our money and services in every way possible. While fulfilling this duty, let us not neglect the Home Front.

It is a well recognized fact that Strathmore citizens have a spirit of pride in, and a deep seated regard for our town. Let us keep this spirit alive.

There are several ways the Fires could be brightened in which Boy Scouts and Cubs can aid which would help beautify our town.

The Town Planning project started some four or five years ago could be carried on in part without much cost. Let us keep Strathmore up to its

LANGDON

—By M. E. M.—

Miss Freda Allcock, of Calgary, was a week-end guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allcock.

Mr. C. Eckstrom, baby Sharon, Miss Gladys Westrom, Mr. R. Eckstrom of Carstairs were visitors at the C. Westrom home on Sunday. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Moe, K. L. Moe, Mr. George Westrom, E. Westrom and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allcock, Miss Freda Allcock. The occasion was Mr. and Mrs. C. Westrom's 37th wedding anniversary.

At the last of a series of six "500" parties sponsored by the Sports Club and held in the W. I. rooms, Feb. 26th, Mrs. C. Dumberton and L. Bittle won first prizes. Mrs. W. Burron and E. Moe won second, Mrs. J. Bates and K. Moe won the travelling prizes. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Braden were the lucky winners of the grand prizes for the highest scores for the series.

Mrs. E. Kernaghan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Gillies, and family, at Dollard, Saskatchewan.

The local Red Cross and the Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. W. Allcock on Feb. 24th. Combined meetings are to be held to help save gas. Mrs. E. Westrom attended the Red Cross Convention held in the Palliser on Feb. 26th.

The Ladies Aid held a social evening in the W. I. rooms on Friday, March 5th. A program was given and Rev. A. R. Aldridge gave an interesting lecture on "Sixty Years on the Prairie." Miss Jean Spankie, Mr. J. Bates and some of the children contributed musical numbers which were much enjoyed and appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Westrom and children visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtain, at Maseppa from Saturday to Sunday.

W. D. Braden was a business visitor to Carbon during the week-end.

CARSELAND

—Continued from page three.

Ed Barlow was down from Camrose on Friday night on his 48 hour leave.

Mrs. Lea entertained a few friends on the occasion of Lloyd's birthday last Tuesday night. Those present were: Mrs. Bishop, Helen McKinnon, Ed Bishop and Lois Lawson. A very enjoyable evening was had by all.

Homer Slack was a Carseland visitor at the dance on Friday night. He is in the Air Force and is stationed at Calgary. A party in his honor was held at the home of Miss Margaret Nelson, on Saturday night.

The mumps are still with us. The latest cases are: Mr. H. Harper, Bill Hansen, Bill Gebke and Sandra Wood.

Roberta Lawson, of Bowden, was a Carseland visitor on Friday night. She has joined the R. C. A. F. as a medical stenographer and leaves to

accustomed standard. What have you to suggest?

NIGHTINGALE

The Red Cross supper sponsored by the Women's Institute at the Hall last Friday was a decided success. A fine crowd gathered early and did ample justice to a sumptuous supper. Mrs. George Thurston welcomed the visitors and especially the old timers. God Save the King was sung as a toast to the King. Mrs. Leonard Edgar very ably played a piano solo. Other musical numbers were: duets by Mrs. Walter Mercer and Mrs. Hughes, songs by Miss Delores Morgan and Betty Slonaker; a solo by Mrs. Walter Mercer and two songs by Mr. Patrick. Mrs. T. Jebson gave two humorous readings. Short speeches were made by Leonard Hilton, Mrs. Holt, Mr. Clifford Way and Mr. Spence Hughes. Mrs. Patrick spoke of the Red Cross and the great need it filled. The audience showed their appreciation for all these numbers in the usual way. The Auction of donated articles netted a tidy sum, under Mr. Thurston's auctioneering. The Valley Garden orchestra furnished music for dancing that lasted until an early hour.

Mr. and Mrs. William Joel celebrated their 37th wedding anniversary recently by taking a short holiday to Calgary.

Among those from Calgary to spend the week-end here were Mrs. Frank Smith, Miss Kathleen Joel, Miss Myrtle Stoodley and Miss Ellenor Gerrein.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks and Miss Gibson also Mr. and Mrs. Morgan were Calgary visitors last week.

Art Farr and Archie Fredericks returned last Saturday from a trip away up north and now they think this a pretty good place after all.

Mrs. Farr Sr. spent a few days in Red Deer visiting her sister there.

The Misses Hilda and Beatrice Trollup with the R. C. A. F. at Vulcan, spent a short holiday at home.

start her training around the middle of March, in Edmonton. Good luck to you Roberta.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Warboys had another heart attack this week.

Mrs. Stew Groves has accepted a position on the Gleichen teaching staff. She is in charge of the Grade 7 and 8 room.

Turn in your Red Cross donations at the station or at Hill's Hardware.

Lois and Erma Mack came up from High River for the week-end. Stan was also home on Sunday.

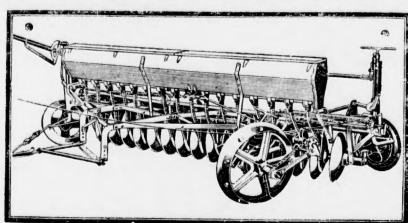
Paul Ostrom has returned home after spending some time in the hospital.

The Home and School meeting scheduled for Wednesday, March 3rd, was postponed on account of the weather. It will be held at a later date.

The Club meeting at Mrs. Ed Dalton was very well attended. Lunch was served by Mrs. J. Garnett and Mrs. Gillespie. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R. Barlow.

Don't forget to bring or send your 1943 Red Cross Campaign donation to Hill's Hardware or the C. P. R. Station today. We are being asked to raise \$400.00 and need everyone's generous help.

The Carseland Red Cross Branch is planning an Auction Sale to be held in the near future. Start now to collect



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ARDENODE

— By H. M. A. —

Mrs. Tommy Chamberlain spent a few days visiting in Calgary last week.

The local Bridge Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Watson spent Saturday last visiting at Conrich.

Don Sarsons spent a few days leave at his home here last week, prior to leaving for Esquimalt B. C.

A number of people from this district attended the old timers supper Nightingale Friday evening. They reported a very good time.

Mrs. D. S. Brook and daughter Joan spent Saturday last in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis spent a few days with friends in Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hilton entertained Sunday evening for Mr. S. W. Watson and Mrs. D. Osborne.

Lt. and Mrs. V. J. R. Hughes left on Sunday to spend a few days visiting in

Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anderson and family of Saskatchewan, who have purchased the farm recently owned by Simone Christensen, is very busy getting his goods and chattels in order, and hopes to be in residence in the coming week. We welcome them to our district.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Coles and Mr. Wilfred Sharman spent Saturday afternoon in Calgary.

Mr. Art Ancell, of Saskatoon, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ancell.



WARNING

CANADA FACES A WOOD-FUEL FAMINE NEXT WINTER

ARE YOU one of the Canadian householders who burned fences, doors, and even flooring to keep warm in this winter's sub-zero weather?

Or perhaps you are one of the lucky ones who just managed to scrape through?

In either case, you will want to be prepared for next winter when greater hardships loom unless you take immediate action.

The shortage already has affected many communities . . . total stocks of dry wood are nearly exhausted . . . in some places the small supply of green wood cut for next winter is being used now to meet the present emergency.

Throughout most of Canada, fuel-wood is obtained not far from where it is consumed. Its production and distribution are the business of local citizens.

The Dominion Government recognizes that the wood-fuel shortage is so serious that even with the full co-operation of everyone in affected communities an adequate supply is not assured. Accordingly, it has been decided to stimulate the output of wood-fuel by assisting those normally engaged in its production and distribution. To this end, the following measures will be adopted:

- 1 A subsidy of \$1.00 per cord will be paid to dealers on all commercial fuel-wood contracted for and cut on or before June 30, 1943, and held to dealers' account on that date.
- 2 The Coal Controller has been authorized to arrange in his discretion for the payment of such portion of the transportation costs as he considers proper in respect of fuel-wood, particularly in cases where dealers, to procure supplies, find it necessary to contract for fuel-wood at locations outside the area from which they normally derive their supplies. In order to obtain any such reimbursement, dealers must obtain a permit from the Coal Controller before contracting for such supplies.
- 3 The Coal Controller will repurchase from dealers at dealer's cost all commercial grades of fuel-wood on which a subsidy of \$1 per cord has been paid and which are still in dealers' hands as at May 31, 1944.
- 4 Assistance will be given in providing priorities for necessary equipment.
- 5 Farmers now on the farm, and who leave the farm temporarily in response to this appeal to engage in fuel-wood cutting, will be deemed by National Selective Service to be carrying out their regular occupation as farmers and will be given all the rights of deferment of military service which such an occupation now carries. Such temporary absence should not, however, interfere with agricultural production.

Municipal councils, farmers, fuel dealers, individual citizens, service clubs, and all other groups in communities where wood-fuel is burned, are urged to begin at once a rapid survey of their local situation, and to take immediate action to relieve the shortage.

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ANDERSON - RASMUSSEN

Linking the interest of friends on either side of the International Border the wedding took place by candlelight, in the Danish Lutheran Church at 7 p. m. on Sunday, March 7th, at Standard, when Dagny, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Rasmussen, and Cpl. Harold Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson, of Eugene, Oregon.

The bride, who has been organist of the Danish Church for several years, a popular member of Standard's young people, and has been active in all church activities.

The groom is at the Army Air Force Training School in Del Rio, Texas.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory taffeta fashioned on princess lines, and the and the bridegroom's gift of a dainty gold chain and cross. Tiny seed pearls which had adorned her mother's bridal dress, outlined the heart shaped neckline and edged the long sleeves. On her fair hair, she wore a long tulle veil, fastened to a tiara of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of carnations and blue iris.

Preceding her to the altar, up an aisle of candle light, were her small brother, Eldon, carrying the rings for the double ring ceremony on a heart shaped white satin cushion, and her little cousin, Elenora Rasmussen, a winsome wee flower girl in a long pale yellow crepe frock. She carried a Victorian nosegay. Miss Lucille Rasmussen and Miss Lois Rasmussen, sisters of the bride, were charming bridesmaids, gowned in similar dresses of blue and pink taffeta. Their flowers were carnations. Mr. Alvin Johnson, a cousin of the groom, was best man. Mr. Roy Rasmussen and Mr. Howard Rasmussen were ushers.

During the ceremony the choir sang as an anthem, the brides favorite hymn "Sun of My Soul." Mr. Torvald Larsen, of Calgary, was organist.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church for two hundred and fifty relatives and friends of the bridal couple. Among them were the bride's grandparents, Mr and Mrs Jens Rasmussen, pioneers in the Standard Community. Rev. A. Husted-Christensen, who performed the marriage ceremony, acted as Master of Ceremonies at the reception. Several musical numbers and short congratulatory speeches added to the enjoyment of the evening.

The wedding cake surrounded with camellia buds from Eugene, Oregon, made an unusual and charming centre for the bride's table, which was arranged in front of a large Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes. Daffodils lent a spring-like atmosphere to the room.

After a short honeymoon in Calgary, Corporal and Mrs. Anderson will leave for Del Rio, Texas, where the groom will resume his Military Training.

NAMAKA

By M. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson had as their guest last week, their sister, Mrs. Lyons from Frankfort, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams have received a letter from the latter's brother, Henry Boschman, that he has arrived safely overseas.

Inspector MacLeod inspected the sr. room last week.

A plane that landed in Pete Williams field Tuesday caused some excitement in our town. Evidently the pilot had become confused as to direction and landed to get instruction from Calgary.

Pte. Robert Bigger has been transferred from Camrose to Camp Shilo, Manitoba.

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 Wednesday March 17th.
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 8:00 p.m. Lenten Service and Intercessions. Topic: "Conversation".
 Thursday March 18th:
 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion.
 We welcome you to these services.

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 I believe in the Holy Spirit by whom the heavenly flame is brought to human souls;
 I believe in the Oneness of Him who is made manifest in all things great and good."

Friday, March 12th. "World Day of Prayer" Service in the church at 3 p.m., under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society and the Ladies' Aid.

Sunday, March 14th.
 11:00 a.m. — Sunday School and Morning Congregation.
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Berta Vale — Serviceberry Women's Institute

The regular meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Morton on March 4th. The members answered the roll call of book guessing or current events. Quilt pieces were distributed at the meeting to members, to be sewn together and turned in. The next quilt drive will be in Berta Vale school on Thursday, March 11th. It was decided to turn all tea money over \$1.00 to the purchase of war stamps for the Institute. Mrs. Pugh was welcomed to the Institute as a new member at this meeting. A delicious lunch was served to 11 members at the close of the meeting by the hostess Mrs. Morton assisted by Miss Elaine Sarsons and Mrs. Backs.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Godfrey on March 18th. Roll Call will be St. Patrick's day verses.

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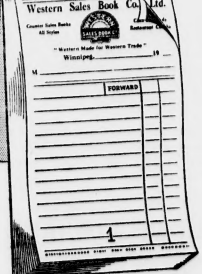
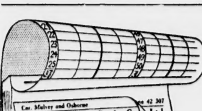
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 Ergot is most noticeable in rye, but also attacks barley, wheat (especially durum) and occasionally oats. The same ergot also attacks many native and cultivated grasses. Ergot bodies (called sclerotia) produced on grasses constitute an important source of infection for cereals. Infected hay crops should be cut before sclerotia have time to develop. Early stages of infection may be identified by the presence of drops of sticky exudate on the heads or panicles.
 Ergot bodies falling to the ground when mature, remain dormant until midsummer and then germinate. Countless tiny spores are discharged and carried about by the wind. The lucky ones lodge in the flowers of grasses or cereals and set up infection resulting in a new generation of ergot bodies.

Control measures include early cutting of infected native and cultivated grasses, and deep plowing of fields on which infected grain crops grew. Ergot bodies can be removed from seed grain by immersing the grain in a solution of common salt consisting of 40 pounds of salt in 25 gallons of water. When the grain is immersed and agitated, the ergot bodies rise to the surface. The grain must then be washed to prevent injury from salt.
 Farmers may secure, from line elevator agents, a circular in which this disease is discussed more fully. For additional information apply to Dominion Laboratories of Plant Pathology at Winnipeg, Saskatoon or Edmonton.—Contributed by A. M. Brown, Assistant Plant Pathologist, Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Winnipeg.



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— By W. E. SIEBER —

PILLARS OF DEMOCRACY — THE SCHOOL.

The business of the school is education and the business of education is the development of personality and character.

The National Dictionary defines education as "the systematic training of the moral and intellectual faculties," and this elementary definition carries us a long way.

Development and training have an end in view and that end, in education, is character and personality. The purpose of education is no longer conceived of purely in terms of mental discipline as it was in the past, though mental discipline still belongs to the essentials of a well-developed personality.

Today the purposes of education must reach beyond this and must aim to develop personalities with vital sense of social responsibility if civilization is to endure.

Civilization cannot continue to exist in an atmosphere of social, racial or national discord and strife. It surely requires no great sense of imagination

to see what is happening in the world today. War, which is the ultimate expression of discord between nations in acts of violence is also the utmost of men's effort to destroy each other.

War could never be waged if humanity possessed an adequate sense of social responsibility. Racial and national hatreds and bigotries are only the expressions of man's antisocial attitudes in the larger groups that we call "national groups."

Conversely, nothing can establish or guarantee a lasting peace until mankind has developed a genuine social consciousness. For that if for no other reason, our schools today consider it to be of primary importance to develop a large and sane social outlook in the hearts and minds of the pupils.

Not only the ideals of democracy but also those of a real world order must find their development in the social consciousness of the human race.

And this social consciousness must reach out across all boundaries, across all oceans, even unto the ends of the earth.

Can the schools hope to succeed in this far-reaching and vitally important task of overcoming all race prejudice

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